

SUPPLEMENTAL ESTIMATE OF APPROPRIATION FOR THE
UNITED STATES EMPLOYEES' COMPENSATION COM-
MISSION, FISCAL YEAR 1939

COMMUNICATION

FROM

THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES

TRANSMITTING

SUPPLEMENTAL ESTIMATE OF APPROPRIATION FOR THE UNITED
STATES EMPLOYEES' COMPENSATION COMMISSION FOR THE
FISCAL YEAR 1939, AMOUNTING TO \$2,000,000

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THE WHITE HOUSE,
Washington, January 4, 1939.

The SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

SIR: I have the honor to transmit herewith for the consideration
of Congress a supplemental estimate of appropriation for the United
States Employees' Compensation Commission for the fiscal year
1939, amounting to \$2,000,000.

The details of the estimate, the necessity therefor, and the reason
for its submission at this time are set forth in the letter of the Acting
Director of the Bureau of the Budget, transmitted herewith, with
whose comments and observations thereon I concur.

Respectfully.

FRANKLIN D. ROOSEVELT.

BUREAU OF THE BUDGET,
Washington, January 3, 1939.

The PRESIDENT,
The White House.

SIR: I have the honor to submit herewith for your consideration a
supplemental estimate of appropriation for the United States Em-

ployees' Compensation Commission, amounting to \$2,000,000, for the fiscal year 1939 as follows:

UNITED STATES EMPLOYEES' COMPENSATION COMMISSION

United States Employees' Compensation Commission: For an additional amount for expenditure in accordance with the provisions of section 16 of the "Emergency Relief Appropriation Act of 1938," fiscal year 1939----- \$2, 000, 000

In the Emergency Relief Appropriation Act of 1938 \$3,500,000 was made available to the Commission for administrative expenses and disability or death compensation. The number of employees on the relief rolls during the current fiscal year have been substantially greater than that originally estimated. In order to provide for these additional payments during the present fiscal year, there will be required an additional amount of \$2,000,000.

The supplemental estimate of appropriation submitted herewith is required to meet a contingency which has arisen since the transmission of the Budget for the fiscal year 1939, and its approval is recommended.

Very respectfully,

D. W. BELL,

Acting Director of the Bureau of the Budget.

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